

Honors Contract Options

The Honors Internship, Undergraduate Research, Research Assistantship, and Senior Thesis augment the existing Honors Program course requirements and provide opportunities for students not pursuing honors in their major. It is strongly recommended that students meet with a Program Officer before pursuing a contract course.

The Honors Program will manually register students for HONR 2182, 2184, 2185, and 4198 when the Honors Contract is submitted and approved. In order to register for HONR 2182, 2184, 2185 or 4198, students must submit an RTF-EZ and a separate proposal with their contract.

For each of these courses, each student needs a faculty member to oversee his or her project and assign a grade. Your faculty advisor determines your final grade, not the Honors Program.

Honors Contract Proposal

The Honors Contract proposal should be developed by the student and faculty advisor together as it serves as the course syllabus for HONR 2182, 2184, 2185 and 4198. This is unnecessary for a research assistantship posted by the University Honors Program. Proposals should include the following elements:

1. ***Course Proposal (approx. 250-500 words)***

What is the topic of the work? What methodology is being used? What is the expected final product?

2. ***Meeting Schedule***

The student and advisor should meet weekly.

3. ***Workload and Due Dates***

Outline assignments, deadlines, and percentages of final grade

4. ***Method of Evaluation***

How will the faculty advisor determine the final grade?

Any questions about the Honors Contract or proposal should be directed to a Program Officer.